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In re Patent Application of:  
Mark S. Gasaway et al.

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Art Unit: 3679

For: NON-SWING FARM GATE

Examiner: D. J. Mills

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 19, 2006**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendment to the Title** is reflected on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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**AMENDMENT TO THE TITLE**

Please change the Title of this patent application from "Non-Swing Farm Gate" to "Fence Assembly."